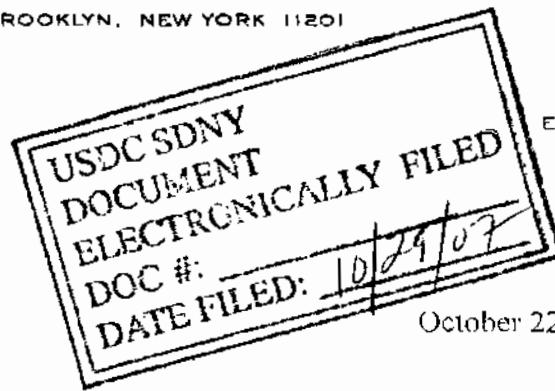


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Hon. Loretta A. Preska
U.S. District Court Judge
U.S. District Court
500 Pearl Street, Room 1320
New York, New York 10007

07/29/07 Docket 07 cr 0275
Re: U.S. v. Rigoberto Velasco
Indictment No. 1670/07

Dear Judge Preska:

① We respectfully request an adjournment of the conference, presently scheduled for October 24th, to October 31st at 10:00 a.m. in the above-referenced case. Assistant U.S. Attorney Reed Brodsky has consented to our request.

② The Defendant consents to the exclusion of time for the period from October 24th through October 31st. *Such exclusion is in the interests of justice to permit discussions between counsel*

Thank you for your consideration.

SO ORDERED

Loretta A. Preska
LORETTA A. PRESKA
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

October 24, 2007

Very truly yours,

Norma E. Ortiz
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cc: Reed Brodsky, A.U.S.A.